Executive Proclamation
State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, The state of South Dakota is the home of Vylet Janssen, and we are richer because Vylet lives among us; and,

Whereas, Birthdays commemorate the first day of our lives, and we celebrate the birthdays of those we love as we recognize the joys and sorrows we have shared, the strength we have gained from the obstacles and hardships we have conquered and the small daily pleasures life offers; and,

Whereas, Vylet was born May 8, 1917; and,

Whereas, During the many years Vylet lived in Pierre, she worked for the Department of Motor Vehicles and retired after 25 years of service; and,

Whereas, Vylet now resides in Emery, South Dakota, and will observe her 90th Birthday with all the good wishes, fanfare and celebration such a milestone warrants, as her friends and relatives gather at the Church of Christ in Pierre, South Dakota, on May 5, 2007, to honor her and celebrate her life and the camaraderie of the day; and it is fitting and proper for the Governor to make note of this milestone in the life of a woman who has lived an exemplary life for all to emulate:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim May 8, 2007, as

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in South Dakota, and I join all her friends and her relatives in wishing her a very happy birthday, good health, and great happiness.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-seventh Day of May in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Seven.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State